CHINA'S GRAND OLD MAN.

LI HUNG CHANG,

Ambassador, Senior Guardian of the Heir Apparent, Prime Minister of State, and Earl of the First Rank, With the Title of Suy.

manding the department of the East, who has been designated by the president to act as his representative, will meet him on his arrival and escort him with a de-

THE CAUSE OF SUNSTROKE.

New York Pathologists Convince

Themselves That It Is Due

to Blood Poisoning.

New York, Aug. 21.—The cause of sun-stroke, a subject until now obscure, has at

TWO ST. JOSEPH PROSTRATIONS.

Both of the Cases Are Likely to Prove

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 31.—(Special.) There were two cases of sunstroke in this city to-day, both of which are likely to prove fatal. W. T. Overman, of Lake Station, fell on Edmond street and it was some time before he regained consciousness. George Higgins, of Newburg. N. Y., was the second victim. He is still unconscious and the doctors believe he will die. Higgins has the name of L. W. Watts tattoed on his left arm, and this is believed to be his correct name.

Severe Storm at Syracuse, Kas.

Another Victim of the Hent.

Osawatomie, Kas., Aug. 21.—(Special.) Alexander Weaver, who works in the Missouri Pacific shops at this place, was overcome by the heat this afternoon while working in the under pit. He was sent to the company's hospital in Kansas City.

Frank Marsh, of 2424 Cherry street, was overcome by heat yesterday afternoon while working on a building near Eigh-teenth and Holmes streets. He was treated at his home by Police Surgeon Landon.

Mercury Up to 109 at Webb City.

Webb City, Mo., Aug. 21.—(Special.) To-day has been a scorcher. At 10 a. m. the thermometer registered 96 in the shade; at 2 p. m., 109; at 7 p. m., 97. It has been the hottest day so far.

Fatal.

be in the city as the guest of ex-Secretary of the Navy William C. Whitney, will re-ceive the special ambassador at the lat-

of war, and possibly other members of

"Monday will be spent in a trip to the

military academy at West Point by the United States steamship Dolphin, and a

sail under the Brooklyn bridge and up the

East river.
"Tuesday the party will be entertained

at lunch by representative business men of New York, and later in the day an

opportunity will be given the Chinese residents of the city to meet the earl by ar-

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Wednesday will be occupied by a visit to Brooklyn, on the invitation of the mayor of that city, and in the evening the viceroy will be tendered a review by the Seventh regiment in its armory.

"Thursday the party will go by the Pennsylvania railroad to Philadelphia, where suitable entertainment will be provided.

"Friday and Saturday will be spent in Washington and Sunday at Niagara Falls, where the viceroy will be met by representatives of the Canadian government, who will escort him to Vancouver, from which port he sails for home."

Li Hung's Lengthy Title.

Southampton, Aug. 21.—The steamship St. Louis, which sails for New York to-morrow, will take Li Hung Chang, who is described on the passenger list as "Ambassador, Senior Guardian of the Heir Apparent, Prime Minister of State, and Earl of the First Rank, With the Title of Suy."

RIVAL FOR THE STANDARD OIL CO. The Cudahys, of Chicago, Starting in

the Oil Business.

Chicago, Aug. 21.-Michael and John Cud

ahy, wealthy packers of this city, have en-

tered into an oil deal of enormous pro

portions. If their present plans material-

ize, Chicago is to have a new industry, rival of the great plant of the Standard

Oil Company, at Chicago, at Whiting, and

the first pipe line from the oil fields to en-ter its limits. The Cudahys have pur-chased in Wells and Adams counties, Ind., the entire plant and wells of the Northern

rangement with the Chinese consul.

his cabinet being present.
"On Sunday, a visit will be made to Gen

eral Grant's tomb at Riverside.

ter's residence on the following day,

WILL ARRIVE IN NEW YORK FROM

LONDON NEXT FRIDAY.

## COWHERD. THE VICTOR

HE WILL BE THE DEMOCRATIC NOM-INEE FOR CONGRESS

CARRIED NEARLY EVE 25 HING. A FEW SCATTERED DELEG . FOR WOODSON, SQUTHERN AND

In the Convention at Odessa day Cowherd Will Have Majority and Is Sure to the Nominee-Local Politics.

The Democratic congressional primaries held yesterday in Kansas City and Jackson county resu' d in an unexpectedly overwhelming victory for William S. Cowherd, who carried all but one of the fourteen wards, and at least four of the country townships, assuring him fifty-eight votes in a total of 100 votes in the convention, which will assemble at Odessa next Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

There was no semblance of a fight any where in yesterday's primaries outside of



W. S. COWHERD, The Will Be the Democratic Nominee for Congress in the Kansas City District.

one or two wards. As predicted in the ournal a week ago, the court house gang of politicians made up of the gang of ringsters and tricksters who have been fastened by disreputable methods on the body politic of Jackson county for many years, had their plans all cut and dried for the election of Cowherd delegates, notwithstanding promises which had been made to F. C. Farr, B. L. Woodson and other candidates. It was settled long ago that Cowherd was to be the nominee, and the other candidates who spent time and money in the fight were simply wasting it. They were up against the gang, and in such contests the gang always dictates.

lutely by Jim Pendergast, there was only the Cowherd ticket in the field, and the three delegates received all of the forty votes cast. In the Second ward there was a little fight between the Cowherd and Farr delegations, but Cowherd was an easy winner by an average vote of 85 to 20. The only real fight of the day was in the Third ward, where it was the old conflict of the Brown-Fleming forces against the O'Neil court house gang. The usual result was reversed, the Cowherd delegation being returned by a vote of 156 to 84.

In the Fourth ward there was no effective opposition to the Cowherd delegation, which won by a vote of 114 to 20 for the unpledged delegation and \$ for the

In the Fifth ward there was another one sided fight, the Cowherd delegation being chesen by a vote of \$2 to 22. In the Sixth ward the friends of Farr made some ef-fort at working for their delegate ticket, but the large majority of the votes cast were for the Cowherd delegates who were chosen by 170 to 70. The Seventh ward came very near making it unanimous for Cowherd, in one precinct only two votes being cast against him. The total vote in ward showed an average of 265 for the Cowherd delegation and about 75 scattering votes for the other three delegations. The Eighth ward was as one-sid ed as the Seventh, the Cowherd delegation being chosen by a vote of 265 to 50 for delegation and 13 for the unpledged dele

In the Ninth ward there was no Cowherd ticket in the field, the only delega-tions voted on being the Woodson and the unpledged, representing respectively the anti-Brown and Brown sentiment in the ward. The Woodson delegation was chosen by the big vote of 308 to 33. While there was no Cowherd delegation on the ticket in the Ninth ward it is well understood that as Woodson is no longer a factor in the race, he will get the practically solid vote of the Woodson delegathe Brown forces had a sharp tilt, the Cowherd delegation winning with a margin to spare on a vote of 210 to 127. In the Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth and Four-teenth wards there was practically no op-

Eleventh, Tweifth, Thirteenth and Fourteenth wards there was practically no opposition to Cowherd and his delegations received nearly all the votes cast in each of these wards.

Only a few of the country precincts were heard from last night. In Blue township ais delegates favorable to Colonel John N. Southern were chosen, these being the only delegates he will have in the convention. Cowherd delegates are known to have been chosen in Westport. Washington, Van Buren and Prairie townships, giving him six additional votes, while Farr carried Sni-a-Bar, with three votes, all he saved from the wreck.

The strong probability now is that the only name Jackson county will present at the convention will be that of Cowherd, as neither Woodson, Farr nor Southern have enough votes to make a showing. William Young, of Lafayette, will get the twenty votes of that county on the first ballot, and then the nomination of Cowherd will undoubtedly be made unanimous.

William S. Cowherd is a member of the law firm of Treasdale, ingraham & Cowherd, and from 182 to 1894 was mayor of Kansas City. He is a young man, as he will not reach the age of 36 until the 1st of September, and has long been an active political worker, being a ready and eloquent campaign speaker.

Following is a list of the delegates chosen as far as returned last night:

FRET WARD.

Cowherd delegation—Thomas A. Shepard, Thomas Pendergast, Patrick Hickey.

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Cowherd delegation—F. E. Lally, George

Berry, H. J. McGowan, Frank O'Flaherty, William Irwin.

FIFTH WARD.

Cowherd delegation—Frank Powell, William Baer, James Ghent, T. L. Foley.

SIXTH WARD.

Cowherd delegation—S. B. Strother, Owen Haney, John Tackett, Jerry Brosnehan.

SEVENTH WARD.

Cowherd delegation—Robert T. Bass, M. Helm, William Sullivan, Samuel Ranson, W. C. Scarritt.

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EIGHTH WARD.

Cowherd delegation—James Gibson, Frank Phillips, Dr. W. F. Morrow, E. E. Porterfield, S. J. Hayde, Dr. C. H. Lester, H. M. Stonestreet, Daniel O'Flaherty.

NINTH WARD.

Woodson delegation—Jeoorge Holmes, Eil W. Hayes, W. A. Kelly, William Abel, B. Davidson, C. J. Welch, John P. Gilday, J. E. Guinotte, William J. Leahy, Walton H. Holmes, John A. Moore.

TENTH WARD.

Cowherd delegation—Dr. Chester Hall, John M. Philips William M. Kneaves, W. E. Hagan, D. A. Ridgeway, Dr. John Wilson.

ELEVENTH WARD.

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Cowherd delegation-Patrick Moore, Dr.
Herbert Longan, R. K. Johnson.

TWELFTH WARD.

Cowherd delegation-Arthur Allen.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

Cowherd delegation-B. S. Hildreth, Ed.

Davis.

Davis.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

Cowherd delegation — G. D. Hensley,
Frank McGuire.

BLUE TOWNSHIP.

Southern delegation—J. P. Jones, L. T.
Dryden, S. H. Woodson, W. N. Southern,
Jr., Marcus Hall, John Lott.

PRAIRIE TOWNSHIP.

Cowherd delegation—James C. Fields, E.
H. Graves, F. L. Hackler.

SOUND MONEY MEETING.

E. Stilwell Will Discuss Free Silver at the Contes Opera House This Evening.

A. E. Stilwell's Illustrated address, "Free ver a Private Snap, Not a Public Trust," will be the feature of the big Republican sound money meeting to be held in the Crates opera house to-night. He will be ably seconded by Hon. J. K. Cubbison and others. The meeting will be under the auspices of the Eighth and Ninth Ward Republican Clubs and will be presided over by Mayor Jones. Music will be furnished by a good orchestra. The following vice presidents will be in

W. W. Morgan, Major William Warner, Hon. Webster Davis, Robert Gillham, Albert Marty, A. R. Meyer, Colonel J. S. Botsford, John G. Bishop, Eugene Corle, Botsford, John G. Bishop, Eugene Corle, Gardiner Lathrop, H. N. Devol. A. Van Brunt, Jefferson Brumback. A. E. Murphy, S. B. Armour, A. A. Whippie, Sam O. Jerome, Colonel C. M. Ferree, W. F. Taylor, W. A. Rule, A. S. VanValkenburgh, J. W. Kidwell, Major Prss Guffin, Dr. S. D. Bowker, Oscar Everett, J. P. Loomas, R. B. Middlebrook, H. C. Mc. Dougal, George W. Youmans, S. H. Bales, William Askew, W. A. Bunker, D. E. Stoner, William Pratt, George W. Rose, Charles E. Small, T. B. Buckner, J. McD. Trimble, H. J. O'Brien, J. P. Dew, F. W. Segur, J. C. Hennessy, Henry C. Kumpf, J. C. Egelhoff, James Carson, Colonel L. H. Waters, John E. Lach, C. P. Grider, J. H. Pickering, C. E. Rickett, C. A. Rollert, C. J. Hubbard, E. S. Drought, C. P. Campbell, General H. F. Devol, R. B. Buffington, J. W. Merrill, J. C. Horton, Wallace Love, C. A. Young, Gus Dose, Frank Crocker, Dr. D. H. Porter, H. P. Childs, P. S. Mitschner, John Carter, R. D. Craig, D. V. Rieger, A. C. Fulkerson, E. E. Richardson, C. F. Morse, Judge F. W. Gifford, Phillip Benz, E. Disheroon, George J. Baer, J. J. Huntington, Green Broadhurst, W. W. Harnden, E. H. Phelps, Charles P. Baldwin, J. H. Hawthorne, J. M. Surface, Harry Gaugaey, Frank C. Peck, Prank Foster, George P. Hardesty, George S. Graham, P. S. Brewn, Jr. Gardiner Lathrop, H. N. Devol. A. Van

## COUNTY CONVENTION TO-DAY. Sound Money Democrats Will Meet at Turner Hall and Select Delegates to the State Convention.

The executive committee of the Sound Money Democratic Club held a business session yesterday afternoon at the Coates House to make the final arrangements for the county convention, which meets in Turner hall this afternoon at 2 o'clock. This will be a mass convention and the only ousiness to be transacted will be to elect lelegates to the state convention of Au-tust 26, at which delegates will be chosen to the national convention at Indianapolis, Sentember 2

It is probable that the question of putting a sound money congressional candidate in the field will receive some attention at the convention this afternoon. WILL DIVIDE THE DELEGATES,

Ninth Ward Republican Clubs Work ing in Harmony.

The meeting of the Ninth Ward Republican League at the "Wigwam," corner of Fifteenth and Virginia avenue, last night was enthusiastic and largely attended. The speakers were Charles W. Clark, C. C. Yost and George W. Walls. The following communication from the Ninth Ward Republican Club was received and its proposition was unanimously accepted:

"At a meeting of the Ninth Ward Republican Club, held Thursday evening, a proposition was presented to our club by Benjamin Spitz, in behalf of your club, which proposed that the thirty-four delegates to the county convention be equally divided between the Ninth Ward Republican League, each selecting seventeen delegates.

"After a full discussion by the various members of our club and Mr. Spitz, the proposition was unanimously accepted. We trust that a list of delegates, satisfactory to all Republicans of the ward, will be selected, and that the harmony and good feeling which now exists will continue and that a county ticket will be selected at the convention that will be overwhelmingly elected at the polls in November. Yours sincerely, publican Club was received and its propo-

"CHARLES W. CLARK, President, "F. M. FENTON, Secretary."

CHOOSING WARD DELEGATES.

eventh and Tenth Ward Delegates Preparing for the Primaries. The Democras of the Seventh ward met last evening at the Midland hotel, and, after a long wrangle full of personal bitterness, chose the following delegates for the ward for the county primaries one week hence: M. G. Heim, James Patrick, P. E. Chappell, Con Kelliher, George P. Gross, Jerry Enright, E. H. Jones, Will Sullivan, W. R. Morton, Henry Woodward, J. J. Harrington, C. C. Pritchett, J. J. Burk, H. H. Noland, Phil McCrory, J. E. Vincil, L. B. Sawyer, J. C. Sappington, John Connors, Granville M. Cole and N. F. Heitman.

The voters of the Tenth ward spent three hours in executive conference at the Midland last evening, trying to agree on a delegation for the ward. There was a split threatened when the west end of the ward tried to take all the delegation and some spirited protests were made, but finally the thing was patched up and a delegation chosen. The list was reserved. less, chose the following delegates for the

Will Meet This Evening.

The Seventh Ward Republican Club will hold a meating to-night at Independence and Prospect avenues. Among the speakers who will address the meeting are R. T. Van Horn. Joseph McCoy. D. S. Twitchell. Homer Bell. W. W. Morgan and H. C. Garland. Everybody is invited.

Bryan Rally Postponed. The Bryan Free Silver Club rally, announced for Turner hall this evening, has been postponed, subject to the call of the president.

The sound money Democrats will hold a convention to-day at Turner hall to choose delegates to the state convention on the 26th.

26th.

Delegations for the Democratic county primaries will be filed to-day in the office of the election commissioners. The primaries will be held one week from to-day.

Money can't be found on bushes, but there is no doubt about the money saving qualities of the great broken line sale now holding forth at The Model. Turn to page 5 and read the ad

BANK IN LIVE STOCK EXCHANGE ROBBED OF \$2,000.

**EVIDENTLY DONE BY AN EXPERT** 

INSTITUTION IS A BRANCH OF THE AMERICAN NATIONAL.

Story Told by the Cashler, Who Says He Was Alone at the Time-Under Police Surveillance for Several Hours and Questioned.

The branch office of the American National bank in room 282A of the Live Stock Exchange building was robbed of \$2,000 in currency yesterday morning about 9:30. The robbery was effected in a very expedient and complete manner, occupying only two minutes, while Edwin R. Boswell, the cashier and teller, was absent from the room. The robber escaped with the money and aside from a suspicion entertained by the police that Mr. Boswell has some knowledge of the robbery or was in fact concerned to some extent in its commission, there is absolutely no clue to the identity of the perpetrator of the crime. If it was a robbery as described by Mr. Boswell, who seems to be the only one prepared at all with an explanation as to how it was performed, it was one of the most expert robberies ever attempted in Kansas City.

The branch office, of which Mr. Boswell has been in charge for some time, is situated in the south wing of the Stock Exchange building and is also occupied by the Eastman Commission Company. The bank office faces east into a long hall. running north and south, and is directly opposite the room occupied by the Stoller Commission Company. Inside the bank is a long counter extending from north to south along the west side of the room. It is protected by a tall screening, such as is usually seen in banks. Standing behind this counter, Mr. Boswell could look directly into Mr. Stoller's office, and Mr. Stoller's office, and Mr. Stoller's office, could confer. Stoller, sitting in his office, could confer the same distinction upon Mr. Boswell. The cash drawer in the bank's office is in the middle of the counter, north and south, and directly opposite Mr. Stoller's door. It is fastened by a Yale lock which is imbedded in the wood. Yesterday morning after Cashier Boswell opened his office for business his door stood open, as did that of Mr. Stoller's, who was sitting in his office quietly talking to some customers As he has been in the habit of doing for nearly a year since he became cashier of the branch office, Mr. Boswell went to the American National bank, at Eighth and American National bank, at Eighth and Delaware streets, yesterday morning for sufficient funds to conduct the business of the branch office during the day. He received 42,000 in currency and \$200 in silver from T. E. H. Beekman, cashier of the main bank, and placing it in a small hand satchel, went to Twelfth street, where he took a west bound car for the bottoms. Besides the satchel, he had a letter Mr. Beekman had given him for delivery to Vice President Lee Clark, of the Interstate bank, whose office is directly under

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When Mr. Boswell arrived at the Stock Exchange building, he went direct to his office and opened the door. He noticed Mr. Stoller in his own office, directly opposite, but saw no suspicious looking characters lurking about the building or in the hallway. Carefully separating the fives, tens and twenties in the satchel, Mr. Boswell placed them in separate boxes in the money drawer, and put the \$200 in silver in a small sack in the drawer. At this point he claims he recalled the note that was to be delivered to Mr. Clark, and debated a moment whether or not he should put the money in the safe while he went downstairs, or leave it in the cash drawer. He walked to the door, looked up and down the hall, and saw no one. Mr. Stoller sat immediately across the hall, and why shouldn't the money be safe in the drawer? He reflected another moment and darted down into Mr. Clark's office, threw the note on his desk, and leaped back upstairs again. He was gone, according to his own statement, not to exceed two minutes, perhaps only a minute and a half; yet when he stepped behind his counter upon his return the money was gone, save the \$200 in silver, and the drawer stood open, gaping him in the face. Two small indentures near the lock showed where it had been pilfered. Mr. Boswell ran first down into the basement to notify Special Officer Green, but, not finding him, ran to the telephone and notified Mr. Beekman of the robbery. In the room south of the robbery, and darted out of the roomed to the tolbern, and Harry Wallingford climbed over the screening, the same as the robber would have done, in the bank and made a hasty examination of the room. His heels the for a time to have been left by the thief who must have been an extraordinarily acrobatic personage. After ownletting the work of scaling the screen

een reached. Central police station was notified of the Central police station was notified of the robbery by Mr. Beekman, and Inspector Flahive detailed Detectives Baldwin and Booher on the case. When they arrived at the bank office Mr. Stoller was there, but said he did not see any person enter or leave the bank after he saw Mr. Boswell there opening up. He sat directly facing the bank office door, and it would have been almost impossible for anyone to enter it without him seeing them, no matter without him seeing them, no matter whether he was paying closs attention or rot, he said. Inquiry about the bilding revealed no one who had seen any suspicious characters lurking about the place. News of the robbery flew over the stock yards, and a large number of excited men and boys soon filled the Exchange building. Soon after this more money was sent to the bank office, and business was continued.

Mr. Boswell was seen by the detections

tinued.

Mr. Boswell was seen by the detectives and told the story as printed above. They reported it to Chief Irwin and later Boswell was taken before the chief, where he report was a first the afternoon under a contract. reported it to Chief Irwin and later Boswell was taken before the chief, where he spent most of the afternoon under a cross-fire from the chief and Inspector Flahive. Not once did he weaken, but held strictly to his first story. Mr. Stoller, Mr. Wallingford and Mr. Beeman were in Chief Irwin's office at different times during the examination. In the opinion of Chief Irwin it would have been almost impossible for a man to have climbed over the counter-screen at the bank, pry open the money drawer and get away with the money, which he would have to take from several apartments in the drawer, in two minutes, the time Mr. Boswell says he was absent from the room.

Mr. Boswell was kept under police surveillance last evening until 11 oclock, while Chief Irwin and officers of the bank made further inquiry into the case. At that time he was permitted to retire to his home, with the understanding that he was to appear this morning at 9 oclock at Chief Irwin's office. It will be definitely settled at that hour what will be done with the case. Boswell's persistent claim that he is innocent of any complicity in the robbery makes the police give credence to his claim. They allege, however, that if he was a party to the crime he made way with the money before the bank office was reached and that he did not have the money there when he claims a burglar robbed him.

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American National bank as teller December 12, 1895. Prior to that time he was a bookkeeper for McDonald, Crowley & Farmer, commission merchants. He is 28 years of age and has lived with Mr. And Mrs. W. O. Miller at 1116 Central streets, the old Deardorft homestead, since coming to Kansas City. He has parents and four sisters at Pleasant Hill. Mo., his father being in the queensware business. He is well-to-do. Boswell has always been of a quiet, retiring disposition and seldom goes into society. He is frank spoken and appearing and his presence would lead one to think him far beyond doing anything that would lead to disastrous results.

WITH US TEN DAYS.

PROGRAMME FOR LI HUNG CHANG'S VISIT TO AMERICA.

ESCAPED PRISONER SHOT.

Brought Down by a Butcher to Whom He Refused to Surrender-Instantly Killed.

Sturgis, S. D., Aug. 21.-Ray Sewall, who for the past month has been confined in the Meade county jail in this city on the charge of cattle rustling, made a despereffort to escape yesterday and was ate effort to escape yesterday and was killed in an encounter with Fred Willard, a butcher. Sewall, seeing an opportunity, bolted from the jall, and, running into Willard's shop, got possession of a rifle. He had been closely followed by the sheriff and deputy. Willard, in the meantime, had secured a rifle and appeared upon the scene. While Sewall was talking to the officers, Willard called upon him to hold up his hands. Instead of complying Sewall turned his rifle upon Willard. Both men shot simultaneously. Sewall's bullet grazed Willard's hair, but Willard's bullet cut Sewall's jugular vein and shattered his spinal column, causing instant death.

DELL MANNING'S WIFE IN JAIL. Charged With Complicity in the Murder of Her Husband.

Guthrie, O. T., Aug. 21,-(Special.) Mrs Dell Manning, wife of the farmer who was murdered last Monday night, was arrested to-day and lodged in the county jail, harged with complicity in the murder of charged with complicity m the murder of her husband. The officers state that they have evidence to prove that Mrs. Manning and Grove Huntley, the young man in jail charged with the murder, were in love, and conspired to put the husband out of the way. Mrs. Manning, who is a handsome woman of 2, was accompanied to the city by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McGregor, of Topeka, Kas., and other relatives, who declare her innocent. She will demand an immediate hearing.

BATTLE WITH MOONSHINERS,

Revenue Officers Capture Twelve Men and Destroy Several Stills.

Bristol, Tenn., Aug. 21.-A party of twenrevenue officers went to Franklin county to break up the most noted band of outlaws and illicit distillers in the state. By

A MISSING VIRGINIAN.

His Remains Found in Pickle Barrels at His Mistress' Home.

Fredericksburg, Va., Aug. 21.-Dallas Bruce, a white man of Caroline county who lives some twenty-five miles from here, attended the recent Confederate rehere, attended the recent Confederate re-union in Richmond and then disappeared. He was separated from his wife and had been living with a negro woman in the neighborhood. A few days ago a search for him was begun by his friends, which resulted in finding his body cut into pieces and packed in several pickle barrels at the house of his negro mistress.

Atchison Seiners Fired Upon.

Atchison, Kas., Aug. 21. (Special.) For some time past, although it is unlawful to do so, fishermen have been seining in Doniphan lake, six miles north of Atchison. At a very early hour this morning, a party of fishermen were surprised by deputy sheriffs. They ordered the fishermen to surrender, and upon their failure to do so, they fired. Hank Steele, a fisherman, was hit, but only slightly wounded.

A Georgia Duel in Prospect.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 21.—Correspondence which may result in a duel is now in progress between Charles A. Collier, president of the late cotton states exposition, and candidate for mayor, and Howell C. Erwin, a prominent lawyer. The trouble grew out of a statement by Erwin in a political speech Tuesday night. Friends are trying to prevent trouble,

Died of His Wounds.

New York, Aug. 21.—Walker B. Adams, who was shot at Bedford station in an encounter with burglars Wednesday night, is dead. Nothing has been learned as to the identity of the two men whom William Adams, the son of Walker B. Adams, shot, both men stolidly refusing to talk, although knowing that their wounds are more than likely to result fatally.

Anderson Successfully Hanged

Macon, Mo., Aug. 21.—George W. Anderson, who cut his wife's throat at their home near Atlanta, in this, Macon county, on the 27th of May, 1895, and then attempted suicide by slashing his own neck, was hanged here at 11:00 o'clock to-day. Anderson courted death, and apparently fully realized that he was getting his just deserts in being hanged.

Columbus, O., Aug. 21.—Joseph Rath, a retired manufacturer, and advocate of free coinage, engaged in a warm firancial argument with Horace Weyman, an Englishman. They separated, but Rath got a revelver, and when Weyman came back he fired three shots at him, one striking him in the right arm, splintering the bone, Weyman may die.

Negro Murderer Hanged.

Mobile, Ala., Aug. 21.—W. H. Graham, alias Gray, a negro, was hanged in the yard of the county jail at 6:30 o'clock this morning. The execution was witnessed by 3,600 people. Graham's crime was the brutal killing of an old man.

DR. BROWN STILL DENIES. Declares Miss Overman's Confession

Chicago, Aux. 21.—Rev. C. O. Brown, formerly of Sen Francisco, and whose troubles are familiar to all newspaper readers, has made a statement in reply to the last confession of Miss Overman, in which she says that the charges which she originally made against Dr. Brown, and which she subsequently said were false, were, in reality, founded on fact. false, were, in reality, founded on fact. Dr. Brown denounces the entire story as one of blackmail, and says that the fact that Miss Overman now admits that she testified falsely should prove her unworthy of the slightest credence.

Wholly False.

Struck by a Train.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 21.-(Special.) A St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 21.—(Special.) A.
L. Farley, a railroad man who has been
in the employ of the Rock Island in Texas,
come to this city yesterday and endeavored to obtain employment. Farley was
drinking and went to sleep on the Great
Western tracks to-day. A passenger train
struck him, causing injuries that may
prove fatal. His parents reside near Stan.
berry.

Fatal Premature Explosion. Perry Mound, Ont. Aug. 21.—While a number of men were blasting in a rock cut near here to-day, a heavy charge of dynamite prematurely exploded. Two of the men were instantly killed, one was fatally injured, while others of the gang were seriously hurt.

the entire plant and wells of the Northern Irdiana Oil Company. Following their purchase they placed with the National Tube and Pipe Company, of Pittsburg, a \$500,000 order for six inch oil pipes for an underground oil line 170 miles in length and extending from the oil fields to Chicago. It is estimated that the investment so far is \$1.500,000. A Morseman's Neck Broken. Guthrie, O. T. Aug. 21.—(Special.) Charles Most, son of John Most, of Kay county, while riding home at night, rode at full speed into a barbed wire gate which he thought was open. He was the win from his horse and his neck broken. Proceeds of the Raines Law.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 21.—The amount of money collected under the Raines liquor law from all counties up to August 15 is \$10,401,095. Of this amount New York city has contributed \$4,995,189. It is expected that more than \$11,000,000 will be collected during the fiscal year.

Administration Ring Trying to Rol

Him of the Salina, Kas., Post-

Washington, Aug. 21.-(Special.) O. J. King, of Omaha, who has the contract for constructing the new postoffice at Salina, Kas., is in bad odor with the department, and the supervising architect is seriously inclined to cancel his contract and collec-

Mr. King's first serious break was to cu

PROGRAMME FOR LI HUNG CHANG'S KING MAY LOSE THE CONTRACT.

Will Put Up at the Waldorf and Be Received by President Cleveland at W. C. Whitney's Residence—Two Days in Washington.

New York, Aug. 21.—John Seager, private secretary to the secretary of war, to-day gave out the following programme for the entertainment of Li Hung Chang while in this country:

"Earl Li Hung Chang, special ambassador from the emperor of China, will arrive in New York by the steamship St. Louis on Friday, September 28. Major General Thomas H. Ruger, U. S. A., com-

WILL HANDLE KANSAS, MISSOURI AND NEBRASKA.

MAY DO IT FROM KANSAS CITY.

THREE IMPORTANT STATES TURNED

Oklahoma May Be Included in Ris Bailiwick Later-Reports Received From the Three States Angur Well for Repub-

lican Success,

OVER TO THE KANSAN.

Chicago, Aug. 21.-(Special.) It has been decided at Republican headquarters that Cyrus Leland, of Kansas, a member of he executive committee of the national Republican committee, take charge of the campaign in the states of Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska. In order to do this work to best advantage, Mr. Leland has suggested that it would be well for him to open a sub-headquarters at Kansas City, where he will assume personal control of the work in the three states. It is argued in support of this suggestion that the location of Kansas City is such

that it gives easy reach to the three state committees. But a few hours' swing of mail and trains from either committee to Mr. Leland is to give orders at short range and direct to the three state com-

mittees, and they in turn look to him, and in this way the national committee will be brought in close range with the contest in the three states. The plan as suggested by Mr. Leland an-

pears to meet with favor among the other members of the executive committee. In fact, they are disposed to allow Mr. Leland to have his way about it, as he has been assigned to the work. He was selected for this work for the reason that he was believed to be fitted for it better than any other member of the committee. In fact, this feature of it made him an available men for a place on the executive committee, and having been assigned to the work, it is committee courtesy to allow a man to handle his assignment in the way he suggests, unless some potent reason to change the c'an arises.

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Then it is claimed that, owing to the condition of Republican politics in Missouri, Mr. Leland is the man to work with the Republican state committee, forming the connecting link between the state committee and the national committee. It is understood that the plan for locating sub-headquarters at Kansas City will be definitely decided in time to put the plan into operation by the middle of September, if not on the first.

From reports that have already been made to the national committee, there is every reason to feel encouraged over the outlook in the three states. As now estimated, Nebraska is safe beyond a doubt. Things could not come in in a more promising way.

Many changes of sound money Democratis against Bryan are reported in Missouri; in fact, more changes than from any Southwestern state.

In Kansas, as now estimated, many Populists who were formerly Republicans will come back to the Republican party, and in this way many changes are being reported in that state.

It may also be observed that the national committee is giving some attention to territories, and while Oklahoma has not been given out to the Leland management, the chances are that it will be, and that he will take in hand a plan of organizing that territory as well as the three states committee has the impression that it is good missionary

committed to his care. The committee has the impression that it is good missionary work to always keep an eye on the territories, even if they do not for the time being have representation in the electoral college.

## WHY CLIGGITT FLOPPED.

Strong Gold Standard Man, but Is Supporting Bryan for Personal Reasons.

on his arrival and escort him with a detachment of the Sixth regiment, United States cavalry, to the Waldorf hotel, where he will remain during his stay in New York, as the guest of the nation.

"The state department will be represented by W. W. Rockhill, first assistant secretary of state. General Ruger will attend the viceroy during his sojourn in this country and be in charge of all arrangements pertaining to his visit. The president of the United States, who is to be in the city as the guest of ex-Secretary of the Navy William C. Whitney, will receive the special ambassador at the late. Topeka, Kas., Aug. 21.-(Special.) It has been a source of considerable surprise and wonderment to the sound money Democrats of Kansas that Morris Cliggitt, who is now a fusion nominee for elector, should have forsaken his sound money principles and entered the fight for Bryan and free silver. entered the fight for Bryan and free silver. The surprise is natural, as Mr. Cliggitt is one of the very few Kansas men who has made a systematic study of finance to the end that he once published a pamphlet in support of the gold standard which attracted national attention. The contents of this pamphlet first appeared in the form of a series of letters to a Crawford county paper. Later they were collected and printed in book form. J. Sterling Morton once made a speech in which he alluded to Mr. Cliggitt's deductions and elucidations as absolutely unanswerable. Up to six weeks ago he was still for the gold standard and as strong in the faith as possibly any man in Kansas stroke, a subject until now obscure, has at length been definitely discovered, according to the claims of officers of the State Pathological institute. They have made the investigations which show that, instead of the sun's rays being the direct cause of sunstroke, as has all along been believed by the medical profession, the internal chemistry of the body and its secretions are so modified by atmospheric conditions of excessive hot weather that some of these secretions become abnormal, either in quality or quantity, and are absorbed by the blood and act as virulent poisons. Animals treated with an infusion of blood from living cases just after they had been stricken by the sun had convulsions within an hour and a half and usually died. The physicians are convinced from the results of these experiments that sunstroke is really blood poisoning.

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The reason for the sudden change in front by Mr. Cliggitt was related to the Journal correspondent to-day by one of his initimate friends. He and Bryan were classmates in college and his boit to free silver is the result of a personal appeal from the Democratic nominee for president, based on the ground of friendship and early associations. At least this is the supposition of Mr. Cliggitt's friend, and the circumstances of his conversion to free silver appear to bear out the theory. Shortly after Bryan's nomination, Mr. Cliggitter appear to bear out the theory. Shortly after Bryan's nomination, Mr. Cliggitt went to lowa to visit his wife, who was seeking health in a change of air. In passing through Nebraska he stopped for a visit to his college friend, the Democratic nominee for president. He is said to have entered Lincoln, Neb., a sound money man and to have come out a free silver shouter, and the method of his conversion is said to have been an appeal made by Bryan during that visit.

Mr. Cliggitt and Mr. Bryan graduated together from Illinois college in ISSI. While Bryan was chosen as valedictorian by reason of his oratorical ability. Cliggitt carried off the honors in every study above the Nebraska man. They were chums as well as classmates during school days, and laid the ground for a friendship which has since endured, and which is strong enough to make Morris Cliggitt stulitiy his record in Kansas and forsake the political principies of which he has been an intelligent and forceful exponent.

A LITTLE GRACE FOR LEEDY.

Syracuse, Kas., Aug. 21.—(Special.) The worst storm that has been known here for years swept over this country this evening. There was considerable damage done by the hall. The storm lasted about two hours Intention to Swoop Down Upon Him Yesterday.

Topeka, Kas., Aug. 21.—(Special.) John Hoenscheidt, head man of the O. M. B., had arranged to follow J. W. Leedy, the

Twenty Horses Burned to Death. Bar Association Officers.

Saratoga, Aug. 21.—The American Bar Association elected the following officers to-day: President, James M. Woolworth; Omaha: secretary. John Hinkley, Baltimore; treasurer, Francis Rawle, Philadelphia; executive committee, Alfred Hemen.

John Hoenscheidt Reconsidered His

Populist nominee for governor, to Kansas City this afternoon and propound to him there the question of whether or not he there the question of whether or not he was in favor of resubmission, but at the last moment he decided to postpone the interview to a later date. This postponement was made at the request of members of the Populist central committee, who desired to consult with Mr. Leedy before he went on record at the command of the Martin Posthand went on record at the command of the Mystic Brotherhood. Mr. Hoenscheidt informed the Journal correspondent that he would meet Mr. Leedy in Topeka next week and propound his questions. He added that it did not follow that the answers given by candidates when placed upon the rack would be made public. So to make the preased for a specific statement of what the preased for a specific statement of what the brotherhood expected from the governor-elect, Mr. Hoenscheidt replied:

"We shall expect that he will recommend resubmission in his message to the legislature, and use his influence in other ways to bring it about."

When asked if he did not believe it might mean political death to the candidate who openly declared himself in sympathy with the O. M. B., Mr. Hoenscheidt renlied: "It is not demanded, by myself at